

This Week at FPC

May 13-20, 2012

Family Night Supper

We will have our annual Graduation Dinner beginning at 5:30 on Wednesday (see details below). All other Wednesday evening activities have been cancelled. The adult choir will rehearse following the program. You may make a reservation by filling out the meal cards located in the pews or by calling the church office before noon on Tuesday.

Graduation Dinner

On Wednesday, May 16th, at 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall, the Women's Ministries (W.I.C.) will be honoring this year's graduates: Bryant Cook, Katie Elam, Dora Henson, Katelin McCain, and Morgan Sweatt. This will be a covered dish dinner with the church providing fried chicken. We request that you make reservations by filling out the reservation card in the pew or by calling the church office at 365-6387. This will give us a fairly accurate count, so that we do not waste food by preparing too much or disappoint anyone because we have run out of food. You are asked to bring your covered dish as indicated below with enough food to serve 8-10 people per dish. If your last name begins with A-Hef, please bring a salad, letters Hen-M please bring a vegetable side dish, and letters N-Z please bring a dessert. This is always a special evening, and we look forward to seeing you there. Remember, guests are welcome, so invite your friends and neighbors, and please include them in your reservation.

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Birthday Brunch

Women with birthdays in April, May or June have received invitations to a birthday brunch at the home of Mary Ellen Johnston on Saturday, May 19th. If you have a birthday during these months and did not receive an invitation, or if for some reason you were unable to attend during your birthday month this year, please feel welcome to join us. RSVP to Mary Ellen by Saturday May 12th. We hope to see you there.

Women's Ministries Board Meeting

The Women's Ministries Board Meeting will be held at Mexico Tipico on Thursday, May 17th at noon. Please call or email Barbara if you cannot attend. Otherwise, we'll expect you. The regular meeting of the Women's Ministries (W.I.C.) will be held on Sunday, May 27th at 4:30 in the Wicker Sunday school classroom. All women are encouraged to attend.

IPC Youth Choir in Concert

The Senior High Youth Choir from Independent Presbyterian Church will present a program of music in a variety of styles on Wednesday, May 30th at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. This is the kick-off of their 18th annual summer tour. The students are in 9-12 grade and are led by James and Pam Brown and several leaders from within their music

program. Meet them at the family night supper beginning at 5:30 and then stay for their concert.

We will again need families to host members of the choir, or their chaperones, overnight in their homes. Please fill out a Host Card and drop it in the offering plate or bring it to the church office. Then mark your calendars and bring friends and family to hear this wonderful group of young people.

Travelots

The Travelots will celebrate the Birthday of Jefferson Davis with lunch and a visit to the First Whitehouse of the Confederacy on June 4th. Please be ready to leave the church by 10:00 am and call Delyn Rouze at 365-5837 to reserve a spot.

The Cookbooks are Here!

The Women's Ministries (W.I.C.) has the church cookbooks for sale for \$10.00 each. The profits will be going to support our missionaries, so we urge you to place your orders for these books right away. They'll make great gifts for Mother's Day, Father's Day, or any other special family occasion. Order forms are available in the Gathering Room, the Narthex, and from Susan Bell, Sharon Tinsley, Sherrie Perdue, Alcyone Mullins, and Barbara Hollingsworth.

FPK Teachers Needed

The First Presbyterian Kindergarten is in need of two teachers for the 2012-2013 school year. We need a 4K teacher (5 days per week) and a 3K teacher (3 days per week). Please contact Melanie Mitchell or Julie Cavnar at 491-3411.

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School is only 3 weeks away and we need your help. In order to feed over 100, always starving children, plus youth and adults for 5 days we need lots of food. We need homemade cookies, cakes and any other snack you can send. Please leave them in the kitchen on Sunday, June 3rd. Let Betsy know what you can bring. Also, we still need helpers in all classes, every day or just a day or two. Please sign up today!